Mountain Weather Forecast

Lake District National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 01 May 2024 until 23:59 on Thursday 02 May 2024

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 01 May 2024 at 02:15

Confidence: High for mostly dry weather next few days. Lower confidence for day to day cloud details.

Headline for Wednesday 01 May 2024: Mostly dry with sunny spells. Cloudier later with a few light showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 01 May 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
20%	20%	10%	20%	20%	20%

Forecast for Wednesday 01 May 2024

Weather: Dry for much of Wednesday with sunny spells. Cloudier later in afternoon and early evening with a few light showers.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 80%, then chances reducing 60% later in afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Mostly good visibility with patchy cloud cover above about 700 to 800m. Clouds becoming more extensive for a time later in afternoon and early evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	23/27 SE	19/24 SE	15/21 SE	8/12 SE	12/15 NE	20/24 NE	23/28 NE
600	18/23 SE	14/18 SE	12/18 SE	7/11 E	8/11 N	11/16 NE	16/22 NE
300	6/20 SE	5/15 SE	6/15 SE	4/9 NE	5/11 N	5/14 NE	7/17 NE
Valley	4/15 SE	4/12 SE	2/9 SE	5/10 W	6/12 N	9/17 NE	13/24 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	6/0	7/2	9/6	10/9	9/6	8/4	8/3
600	7/3	9/6	12/9	12/11	10/9	9/7	8/5
300	9/8	11/11	14/13	14/14	13/12	11/11	10/8
Valley	10/10	12/12	14/14	15/14	15/14	14/12	12/9
Freezing Level*	1900m	1800m	1900m	2100m	2300m	2400m	2500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling warmer on lower slopes in sunshine but higher UV levels will result in sunburn risk.

Forecast for Thursday 02 May 2024

Weather: Rather cloudy at first with the odd patch of drizzle. Otherwise a dry day across the Lake District with sunny spells.

Maximum wind: Fresh east winds, strong over higher ridges and summits, average speeds of 20 to 25mph and gusts 40mph on the tops.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40%, improving 80% during the morning.

Low cloud and visibility: Patches of poor visibility in mist and low cloud at first, otherwise good visibility. Banks of cloud down around 600 to 700m at first, lifting and breaking up during the morning.

Temperature: **Valleys:** 9 Celsius rising to 20 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 11 Celsius.
Freezing level: Well above the summits.

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Ground Conditions Supplement
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